

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claim 4 as follows:

A2 4. (amended) A polyisocyanate polyaddition product [obtainable by a] obtained in  
accordance with the process as claimed in claim 1.

Please cancel claims 5 and 6 without prejudice.

**REMARKS**

Applicants respectfully request examination of the present application as amended herein.  
Claim 4 has been amended. Claims 5 and 6 have been cancelled. Upon entry of the above preliminary amendment, claims 1-4 remain pending in the application. A clean version of the amended claim is attached hereto in Appendix A. Should the Examiner have any questions, please contact the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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